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Press Room Arrangements.

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Previous references.

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Later references.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Eight & 3a

Part B for July 1919

SUBJECT.

Press Room Arrangements

8(7) Memorandum No. 28477 SP 24/6/19 Relating to the use of the Press Room

8(8) Official Memorandum No. 28475 SP 24/6/19

Forwards the above memorandum referred to in 8(7), to the Secretaries to Govt. for information & guidance.

WD 2233—GPB—20,000—14-6-20

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Gen)

NOTES.

File No. 113-18

FILE HEADING.

Press Room arrangements

From

No. Dated Received

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

NOTES—First Sheet.

TD 2362
17-8-18

Gen 11348

W. D. 2725—GPB—2,000—5-5-16

REPLY.

(To be written on this margin.)

Office of the Dewan of Mysore.

NOTE.

Dated 16th August *1918*.

1) Mr. Nair of the Associated Press suggested that an officer of Government might be nominated who would give Newspaper Correspondents replies on behalf of Government to any enquiries that might be made of him. He also wanted copies of the latest Government orders to be placed on the Press Table as rapidly as possible.

2) I shall be glad if the Chief Secretary will kindly furnish me with a copy of the rules in force at present in regard to this matter together with his own views as to whether any improvements are necessary and possible.

3) Mr. Nair may also be requested to furnish a statement of his suggestions.

17.8.18 RC

4) The Chief Secretary.

5) Regd 21.8.A
In a joint note in 3 days.

17/8/18

G. R. S. III-2]

General and Revenue Secretariat.

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6) The existing rules regarding the Press Room are contained in paragraphs 722 et seq of the Manual of General Circulars and Standing Orders (Vol.I - page 216) and in Official Memorandum No.8914-19 dated the 29th December 1917.

Page U + V

7) The arrangements contemplated in the rules are generally observed, but cases of delay and omission sometimes occur. It is necessary to re-circulate the rules for strict guidance of Secretariats. The library of the Press Room may be revised and useful books of reference supplied. Any shortcomings may be brought to the notice of the Registrar who will take suitable action in the matter.

8) The proposal to have an officer speciall to deal with newspaper correspondents and journ lists does not seem feasible. Any information that is wanted and which may be unobjectionabl given may be obtained from the Secretaries concerned who may be asked to set apart two days in the week for about half an hour for the purpose.

9) A memo of Mr. Nair's suggestions is als put up.

Chief Secy

10) NM 20.8.18

11) I concur in the suggestion made above. I shall address the other Secretaries about sending to the Press Room promptly orders to that issue in such cases. 20/8

Dewan

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

WD A 1789—GPB—60,000—20-3-18—S.

WD 1233—GPB—60,000—1-12-16—S.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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12) I shall be glad if a brief but complete memorandum showing the arrangements made in connection with the Press room is prepared. It should contain -

(1) Instructions to the various Secretariats as to precise procedure to be adopted in regard to the issue of papers to the Press Room; and

(2) Directions and information which are likely to be of value to Press correspondents to be printed and hung up in the Room.

This will help to standardise the procedure.

13) Press Correspondents may be requested to address the Registrar, General and Revenue Secretariat, in future, if they have any complaints to make. The Registrar will take action and reply to such communications under the personal orders of the Chief Secretary.

Regr 14) 31.8.18

Please prepare a memorandum

15) Two drafts put up.

Regr 6. Kindly bring with papers

Chief Secy

7/9

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16) Revised drafts put up as personally instructed.

Chief Secy) 23/9

17) The two drafts may be approved

Dewan 27/9/18

18) These may be circulated for favour of any suggestions that the Members of Council may wish to make.

3-10-18

19) Sub'ble members.

20) Any hints are made in the draft

5/10/18

109 26-10-18.

1425-16

21)

The drafts, as now revised, may issue.

30.10.18

1747 31/10/18

22) No remarks

31/10/18

23)

24) May issue!

11.11.18

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

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25) This may be transferred to the Chief Suptt (Income Depttt Br) for amplification of the list as per orders of 2nd Member.

Issued
Issue
Yo 22.11.18 Br. 22/11.

26) yes Br. 22/11

The Chief Suptt. 27) Subject orders may this kind memorandum come?

22/11.

23/11/18 Br

28) Regret I cannot identify the persons concerned & amplify the list.

Br 29/11/18

Registrar

30/11 Br

29) A draft for issue with memo (No 1) is subd as directed

Has Sd

Issue
5.12.18

30) Issue
Br.
6/12

1. Office memo No. G 1/397/Genl 1/3-18-1 of 13-12-18 re. Press Room arrangements.
2. Letter No. G. 1/422-8/13-12-18.
Forwards the above. Wants Secretariat to Govt calling for an amplified list of papers to be placed on the Table of the Press

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

GPS—70.000—17-12-15

G. R. S. III-2j

General and Revenue Secretariat.

GM File No. 113 of 191 8

Serial No.	
3a.	From the Secy to Govt P.W Deptt, 10th Jan 19
3.	—"— Ry Deptt. 14th Jan 19
4	—"— Pl. deptt. 24th Jan 19
5	—"— Mag deptt 28th Jan 19

~~Forwards amplified list of papers that might be placed furnishing their opinion on~~ re the subject of amplified list of papers that might be placed at the disposal of the press.

31) As directed in para 28 supra, an amplified list of matters relating to all the Secretariats, that may be placed at the disposal of the press, together with a Covering draft G.O. is submitted for consideration.

32) A revised draft memorandum relating to the use of the press room is also subd for approval.

NR 20/3.

20.3.19

33) A sentence has been added to the first para of the draft memorandum originally approved agreeably to the orders recently issued directing the annual renewal of passes.

34) The amplified list, the draft G.O. and the draft memorandum may be approved.

Chief Secretary)

CSB 20.3.19

Vide pp 34, 35, 36

draft ✓

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

Copy up for approval at once CSB 4.4.19

G.R.S. III—3]

ROUTINE NOTES.

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[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

35) A draft letter to the Secretary for Railways is put up as directed and subd for approval

MR 5/4 Regr) 5/4/19

36) Issue CSR 5.4.19

7-4-19

X G. 22841/One Encl dy 7-4-19

Dy No 15-835

Rb

From the Secretary, Ry. Deptt., No 3008 dy 30/4-5-19, with ref. to this office letter, of the No. above noted, send a list of papers that may be placed at the disposal of the Press.

If approved, the list now furnished will be incorporated in the Consolidated X list in the file. Subd for orders.

MR 24/5 24/5/19

38) Do the drafts require revision in view of the recent orders on the subject. Caseworker will please bring up CSR 26-5-19.

39) The information furnished by the Ry. Secy. is also incorporated in the Consolidated X list put up on the file

May 4

37) May 4. X Vide page 32

N.B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied or slips pasted on this form.

May 4

G. R. S. III-2.

General and Revenue Secretariat. | Cash File No. 113 of 1918

Serial No.

May. W.

40) The Statement referred to in paras 28 and 37 has been further revised and put up for perusal.

41) In View of the orders contained in paragraphs (2) and (5) of the G.O. no. G 26274-82/Gen. 193-18-3 of 22nd May 1919, it is no longer necessary to publish it as an enclosure or appendix to a G.O. It may be printed as an appendix to the Memorandum intended to be hung up in the Press Room and copies sent to all Secretaries for information and guidance.

42) Both the Memorandum (which has already been seen by the Dewan and Members of Council) and the amplified list of Press matters forming an appendix thereto, may be approved.

31.5.19

Chief Secy)

43) Issue.

Mysd issue with an Ord. for the guidance of Secy officers

16/6.

18/6

NOTE—Contn. sheet

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Serial No.

44) submitted with a draft O. M for approval.

Done.
20.6.

7. memorandum No 28477 of 24-6-19 relating to the use of the [illegible]

8. ~~Nil~~ O. M No 28478-84 of 24-6-19 forwarding the above memorandum (847) to the Secretaries for information & guidance—

45) The memo re the use of the Press Rules & for Printed and Typed Printed Copies are placed on the file. may this be recorded now? Subd
22/7 22/7

46) Is there anything requiring further action?
26.7.19.

Case withdrawn & Copy of O.
22/7

B9

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

Rec'd from Gen. Staff 27/2/16

Visit purely private

Suggestions for the improvement of the Press Room.

1. To place all Govt. Press notifications, orders & communiques etc on the Table at the Secretariat before they are sent out to the newspapers.

[At present with the exception of insignificant notifications as Amildars promotions or forest settlements very few important notifications come to the Press Room at the time they are published. It is useless to place any notifications on the Press Table after they appear in newspapers:

2 The H^ds of departments are sending important publications directly to newspapers dealing with their departments. These are seldom placed on the Press Table. Arrangements should be made to have them placed at the disposal of the local press correspondents before they are sent out to the newspapers.

3 The Govt Press should be instructed that no notification of news importance should be sent to the newspapers before they are placed on the local Press Table

The excuse at times made that papers are sent by post to the Press Room at the same time they are posted to the newspapers is not valid. The Press Room is so near the Post that no posting is necessary, that the papers should be sent through a peon whenever they are ready for publication. The practice of sending everything direct to the papers should as far as possible be discontinued. When this is being done the Press Correspondents have little or nothing to do.

Important orders & Reports may be sent to the Press Room without any delay to the Press Room, not as at present days or months after they are issued.

At present some of the Secretariat Govt. are not sending orders regarding their Departments to the Press Room, but they appear in the Gazette or the Correspondents have to run about to get such orders

Reference books: A few up to date reference ~~stores~~ Books regarding Mysore & India should be supplied, instead of having any number of English Reference books, which very few Correspondents ~~in fact rarely require~~ make use of.

For instance the "history of Services" which the ~~Present~~ Press Room has at present is a copy published in 1913, whereas I understand there are later publications of the Book.

"with a view to give the Press Correspondents information regarding various matters it would be advisable if the Govt would depute an Officer of Standing to meet the Correspondents often as convenient & discuss with them such matters regarding which the Press ~~are~~ would be anxious to have ~~Good~~ Clear ideas.

(The Superintendent & the Registrar should make frequent visits — surprising visits — to keep discipline regarding the maintenance of the room.

Arrangements should be made to extend the accommodation of the Press Room. over

Misc. Aug 20.

Press Correspondents' File.

Mr. Nair of the Associated Press suggested that an officer of Government may be nominated who could give Newspapers Correspondents replies on behalf of Government to any enquiries that may be made by him. He also wanted copies of latest Government Orders to be placed on the Press Table as soon as possible before they are sent out to newspapers.

Mr. Nair on being asked to give a statement of his suggestions furnished a memo on 20th August 1918 containing the following suggestions:-

1. Placing on the Press Table of the Secretariat all Government Notifications, Orders and Communiques before they are sent to newspapers.

2. Making arrangements for important publications issued by Heads of Departments being placed at the disposal of Local Press Correspondents before they are sent out to newspapers.

3. Issuing instructions to Government Press not to send any notification of importance to newspapers before they are placed on the Press Table.

4. Sending of important orders and reports immediately after issue to the Press Room.

5. Equipping the Press Room Library with new and up to date references books regarding Mysore & India.

6. Deputing an officer of standing to meet the Press Correspondents as often as convenient in order to give correct information on various matters of interest to the Press.

7. Registrar and Superintendent paying a surprise visit to the Press Room in order to

enforce discipline and proper maintenance of the room.

8. Making arrangements to extend the accommodation of the Press Room.

These suggestions were carefully considered and an O.M. No. G.11397/G.M. 113-18-1 dated 13th December 18 was issued containing instructions regarding admission to Press Room by cards to accredited representatives, the hour at which the Press Room is open during office days, the control of the Press Room by the Chief Secretary and the prompt ~~sx~~ sending to the Press Room (1). Papers placed at the disposal of the Press (2). Press communiques (3) Weekly and Extraordinory Gazettes and (4) other official papers placed at the disposal of the Press ~~was issued~~. The O/M memorandum also provided for

Notices of important meetings held in all parts of the State were also ordered in that O.M. to be sent to the Registrar G.R.S. to be posted in the Press Room and Press Correspondents were also requested in the O.M. to address the Registrar G.R.S. if there were any complaints, writing to that office

A copy of the memo was forwarded to Secretaries to Government with a request that the list of papers that may under G.O. dated 29th December 1917 be placed at the disposal of the Press may be amplified under each heading in respect of the Departments under the respective charges and furnished very early.

Mr. Sanjeeva Rao Press Correspondent submitted a memo on 4th December 1918 asking for certain facilities to Press Correspondents in Mysore. The following are the suggestions in the memo:-

1. Press Correspondents may be shown elementary courtsies by Government Officers and organisers of Government Functions.

2. Seats may be provided near the plat-form

at the Speaker's table or as near as possible.

3. Giving to Press Correspondents speeches in advance ~~to enable their being posted.~~ before last time. ready for the occasion.

4. Speeches or summaries thereof which need emphasis, to be marked and not to be telegraphed directly to Editors by Government Officials or Secretaries.

5. Defining the position of Editor, Economic Journal, as regards reporting of the Proceedings of R.A.

6. Defining his relationship with regard to the Representative Assembly and to outside -- reports.

7. Giving preference to Local Representatives in the matter of reporting Proceedings Etc.

8. Secretaries to Government not to act as Press Reporters and Official Agencies not to be employed in sending reports of Representative Assembly to Editors.

9. Editor Mysore Economic Journal, to be instructed to insert photographs of interesting functions when furnished to him for reproduction in the Journal.

10. Press Representatives to be granted free Railway Passes when recommended by respective Editors to report functions of public interest.

11. Functions of public interest or importance to be decided by Editors and not by Agents of Railways.

12. A standing pass for the Chairman of Press Association to travel on State & M.S&M. Railways to be obtained by Government.

13. The showing of long standing and customary privileges to Press Representatives

14. Giving lodging to Press Representatives.

at Mysore during Birthday festivals and also during the sittings of the Representative Assembly.

15. Giving better reasonable facilities for boarding to them if they so desire.

16. Granting permission to them to attend the Birthday and Dasara Durbars ~~in the order prescribed by the Palace~~ dress provided they conform to customary etiquette.

17. Seats to be provided in special trains or other trains to Press Representatives during the Royal Tours.

18. Facilities to be given to them for reporting His Highness' movements in and out of Mysore.

19. The Press to be furnished in advance the tour programme of Their Highnesses, the Dewan and Members of Council to enable them to get ready for the occasion.

20. One Press Representative may be allowed to form one of the parties in the Royal Tours in or outside of the State his expenses being borne by Government.

21. The Associated Press of India may be asked to report functions in Native States in full to important papers and not to favour parties against the other.

22. The Press Room at Bangalore should be furnished with important papers and Government Orders immediately after issue.

23. Other facilities which the Government may deem fit may be accorded.

24. Press Law may be repealed as an Act of Grace in commemoration of Victory Rejoicing

Mr. Sanjeeva Rao complains much about the Correspondents of A.P.I and quotes an instance in which the Bangalore Correspondent of that A.P.I sent a certain.

speech to one news paper and not to others and suggests that they may be asked through their Director not to take sides or encourage factions and not to favour one paper against the other. As regards granting of free passes to Press Correspondents (items 11 to 13) the Railway Secretary has informed Mr. Sanjeeva Rao that his claim for a free pass is inadmissible, and has informed the same to Government also.

Flag J.

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G 11397. No. 1 Dated 13-12-18.

G.M. 113—18—1

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

With a view to enable the Press to obtain authentic information regarding matters of public interest which are dealt with in the course of official correspondence, a Press Room was opened in the Public Office Buildings and attached to the General and Revenue Secretariat.

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3. The room will be under the control of the Chief Secretary to Government who will regulate the supply of Government Orders and other official papers to the Public Press and will also take steps from time to time to see that the Press Room is supplied with useful books of reference.

4. The papers that may, under Government Order No.G.8914-19/G.M. 585-16-2 dated 29th December 1917, be placed at the disposal of the Press should be sent to the Press Room by the several Secretariats as early as possible after issue, addressed to "the Registrar - Press Room".

5. Press Communiques, Gazettes, weekly and Extraordinary and other official papers placed at the disposal of the Press should likewise be sent to the Press Room so addressed with the least possible delay.

6. As desired in Circular No.G.16817-67/Gm.660-17-1 dated

6th

6th June 1918, notices of important meetings held in all parts of the State should be sent to the Registrar, General and Revenue Secretariat, who will have them posted on a notice board in the Press Room.

7. Press Correspondents will, in future, address the Registrar General and Revenue Secretariat if they have any complaints to make. The Registrar will take action and reply to such communications under the orders of the Chief Secretary.

By Order,

Chief Secretary to Government.

To

All Secretaries to Government.

30-10-15

to be returned when done with

G.R.S.34) No. G.11397/Gen 1-3-18-1

GOVERNMENT OF H. H. THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

General and Revenue Secretariat.

( )

Official.

~~OFFICE~~ MEMORANDUM.

To

the 13-12 1918.

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By Order,

Narain Iyer

for Chief Secretary to Government.

To

All Secretaries to Government.

s.a.8.

G. R. S. VI—G/32]

SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,
( )
, the *191* .

Date of issue 13/12/18

Signed by Mr B Rangappa

Section G.M.
File No. 113-18
Serial No. 2

No. G 11422-xxx/Estbs

To All Secretaries to Govt.
The Secretary to Govt

Sir

In forwarding herewith official memo No G 11397 dt 13.12.18 re the management & working of the Press room, I am directed to state that the list of papers that may, under G.O. No G 8914-19 dt 29.12.17, be placed at the disposal of the Press require amplification under each head & to request that

over.

an amplified list in respect of the departments under your charge may be kindly furnished to this office very early

Thanks

Bu.
6/12

for Chief Secy

Lucknow
5.12.18

List of enclosure

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Mysore 24 1194

Telegraphic Address: *Stateworks*

No. P.W.68 C.295

10 JAN 1919

MYSORE P. W. DEPARTMENT.

CENTRAL OFFICE.

Bangalore, 10th January *191*8.

From

21227

KARPUR SHRINIVASRAO, Esq., B.Sc., L.C.E.,

The *Secretary to the Government of Mysore,*

Public Works Department.

4/7 rec'd 10/1/19 Cashley 4 pm

To

C.S.Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,

Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In reply to your letter No.G.11422-8/G.M.113-18-2 dated the 13th December 1918, calling for an amplified list of papers that may be placed at the disposal of the Press, I have the honour to state that the following may be added to the list given in Appendix A to G. O. No.8914-19/G.M.585-16-2 dated 29th December 1917.

I. Reports.

P.W.Department.

Report on the working of the Electrical Department with the Government review.

II Other Orders.

P. W. Department.

(1) Review of the Famine Relief Programmes.

(2) Additions and alterations to rules relating to the water-supply of Bangalore and Mysore.

(3) Rules relating to the supply of electric power for lighting, &c.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

R V Sundaram

For Secretary to Government,
P. W. Department.

V.N.S.

Ry. 3]

WD A0271—GPB—3,000—27-9-17

No. RS 2062 Encl 1
H.M.G. 82

MYSORE STATE RAILWAYS,

CENTRAL OFFICE,

Mysore,
~~Bangalore~~, 16th January 1919.

DIARY NO. 11880.

From

D. G. DANI, Esq., B.Sc., F.C.H.,
SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMET OF MYSORE FOR RAILWAYS,

SEC. Mysore. Bangalore.

G.M. 113-18-9

33213

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Subject:- Papers that may be placed at the disposal of the Press.

Sir,

As desired in your letter No.G.11422-8/G.M.113-18-2 dated 13th December 1918, I have the honour to forward herewith, an amplified list of papers relating to this Department that may under G.O. No.G.81914-19 dated 29th December 1919 be placed at the disposal of the Press.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Secretary for Railways,
Government of Mysore.

ALM.

16.1.19

Important Government Orders issued during the year.

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1. G.O. No.105-110/Ry.F.316G-18-19 dated 10-7-1918 sanctioning the continuance for another year from 15th March 1918 of payment of interest at 5% on the amount of loan raised and paid into the Treasury on account of Shimoga District -- Board Railway.

2. G.O.No.1184-1188/Ry.F.306G-18-19 dated 18th October 1918 sanctioning an estimate for a preliminary survey of a Tramway line from Banasandra Railway Station to the Limestone quarries of Oblapur in the Tumkur District in connection with Iron Industry Scheme.

Notifications relating to appointment, leave, transfer etc., of officers.

1. Notification No.115-16 dated 10th July 1918 sanctioning privilege leave of 20 days with effect from 15th July 1918 to Mr. B. Venkoba Rao, Traffic Manager, Mysore Railways.

2. Notification No.120-121 dated 10th July 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for 14 days to Mr. Steele with effect from 16th June 1918 or from date of availment.

3. Notification No.189-90 dated 19th July 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for 13 days to Mr. D. Krishna Rao, Sub Assistant Engineer, Chickjajur-Chitaldrug Railway, with effect from 26th March 1918.

4. Notification No.415-16 dated 8th August 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for 5 days to Mr. B.C. Garudachar, Offg. Assistant Comptroller from 15th July 1918.

5. Notification No.609-610 dated 28th August 1918 sanctioning sick leave on half pay for 10 days from 22nd to 31st July 1918 to Mr. K. Gopalaiengar.

6. Notification No.637-8 dated 30th August 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for 3 weeks to Mr. K.R. Venkatasubbachar with effect from 19th August 1918.

7. Notification No.732-33 dated 7th September 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for one month to Mr. A. Viswanath, Sub Assistant Engineer, Chickjajur-Chitaldrug Railway, from date of availing.

8. Notification No.715-716 dated 5th September 1918 sanctioning the extension of the privilege leave sanctioned in Notification No.115-16 dated 10th July 1918 to Mr. B. Vencoba Rao Traffic Manager by another 19 days.

9. Notification No.906-907 dated 20th September 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for 14 days to Mr. Y.K. Ramachandra Rao with effect from 28th September 1918 with permission to utilize Dasara holidays.

10. Notification No.952-3 dated 23rd September 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for 14 days to Mr. K. Gundappa, B.A., with effect from 7th September 1918.

11. Notification No.1074-5 dated 8th October 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for one month to Mr. R.E. Bury, Carriage and Wagon Superintendent &&& with permission to utilize Xmas holidays.

12. Notification No.1154-5 dated 17th November 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for 8 days to Mr. Tandoni Rao from 25th May 1918.

13. Notification No.1437 dated 21st November 1918 sanctioning the extension of the privilege leave sanctioned in Notification No.637-8 dated 30-8-18 by another 5 days to Mr. K.R. Venkatasubbachar.

14. Notification No.1577-8 dated 3rd December 1918 sanctioning the extension of privilege leave granted in Notification No.906-7 dated 20th September 1918 to Mr. Y.K. Ramachandra Rao by another 3 weeks with permission to utilize the holidays from 3nd to 4th November 1918.

15. Notification No.1638-9 dated 6th December 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for 27 days to Mr. Raghavachar, Executive Engineer, Mysore-Arsikere Railway, with effect from date of availing.

16. Notification No.1667-8 dated 10th December 1918 sanctioning privilege leave for 5 days to Mr. H. D. Rice with permission to prefix Xmas holidays.

Questions of other importance and of public interest.

1. Notification No.800-801 dated 11th September 1918 re: adoption of the Nomenclature of Mysore Railways for the lines worked by the Durbar and Mysore State Railways for the lines within the State worked by the M. & S.M.Ry.Co.

2. Notice dated 17th December 1918 notifying the removal of the the combined office of the Agent and Secretary to Government for Railways from Bangalore to Mysore.

for Secretary for Railways,
Government of Mysore.

ALM.

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From Dewan Bahadur Rajamantrapravina
J. S. CHAKRAVARTI, Esq., M.A., F.R.A.S.,
Financial Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

To
CHIEF SECRETARY
IV
MINOR Dep.
25 JAN 1919

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, the 24th January, 1919.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No. G.11422-8/G.M.113-18-2 dated the 13th December 1918 regarding amplification of the list of papers to be placed at the disposal of the press, I am directed to state that there are no additions to be made to the list already contained in Government Order No. G.8914-19 dated the 29th December 1917.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Financial Secretary to Government.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE,

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

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Bangalore, Dated 1st February 1919.

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From

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G. ARAVAMUDU IYENGAR, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Joint *Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,*
Muzrai Department.

3/2/19 CHIEF SECRETARIAT To IV MINOR Depts. 3 FEB 1919

To

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No. G.11422-8/G.M.113-18-2 dated 13t December 1918 requesting to be furnished with an amplified list of papers of this department that might be placed at the disposal of the Press, I am directed to state that orders relating to the general reorganization of the Department and introduction of reforms therein may be placed at the disposal of the Press.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Joint Secretary to Government.
Muzrai Department.

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To The Secretary to the Govt of Mysore for Railways

Date of issue 7-4-19

Signed by M. Venkaya

Sir,

With reference to your letter no R 2062/H no G. 182 of 16/17th Jany 1919, forwarding a list of important Govt orders issued during the year, I am directed to ~~inform you~~ state that the information furnished by you is not exactly what was required by ~~Govt~~, and to request that a ~~list~~ standing list of the class of papers of public interest pertaining to your department.

in my letter No G 11422-8 — Gen 113-18-2 dated 13-12-18

SUBJECT.

That may, as a general rule, be placed at the disposal of the Forces, ~~year after year~~, may be furnished very early.

A Copy of the Govt order on the subject is sent herewith for your information, the Amplified list is required for incorporation in Appendix A. of this order ~~referred to above~~

The favour of a very early reply is requested

I have &c

5-4-19

For Chief Secretary

List of enclosures

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Examined by

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MYSORE ~~STATE~~ RAILWAYS,

CENTRAL OFFICE,

No. 3008

Mysore,
~~Bangalore~~, 30th April 1919.

From

D. G. DANI, ESQ., B.Sc., F.C.H.,

SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMET OF MYSORE FOR RAILWAYS,

Mysore.
~~Bangalore~~.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

Bangalore.

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Sir,

With reference to your letter No.G.22841/G.M.113-18 dated 7th April 1919, I have the honour to inform you that the following papers pertaining to this Department may, as a general rule, be placed at the disposal of the Press:-

1. Notifications relating to appointments, leave, transfers, etc., of officers.
2. Orders reviewing reports.
3. Orders regarding ~~prospects~~ projects sanctioned for construction or survey of railway lines.
4. Any other special matter not entirely technical but which is of general interest.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Secretary for Railways,
Government of Mysore.

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2 Drafts

(To be printed & hung up in the Press Room).

G. M. 113-18-7

MEMORANDUM RELATING TO THE USE OF THE PRESS ROOM.

Admission to the Press Room will be by cards issued to the accredited representatives of newspapers of recognised standing. Applications for such cards should be made by the Editor of the newspaper concerned to the Chief Secretary to Government. These passes will be tenable for one calendar year and application for their renewal should be made one month before the close of that year.

2. The Press Room will be opened during the usual office hours i.e., from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and from 7.30. to 11 a.m. on days on which the office is held in the morning.

3. The Room will be under the control of the Chief Secretary to Government who will regulate the supply of Government Orders and other official papers marked for the Editors' table to the Public Press and will also take steps from time to time to see that the Press Room is supplied with useful books of reference, Government compilations, and Administration reports and Blue books.

4. The papers that may ordinarily be placed on the table of the Press Room are set forth in Appendix A.

5. All Government Orders, Press Communiques, Gazettes, - Weekly and Extraordinary, or other official papers placed at the disposal of the Press will be sent to the Press Room, as soon as possible after issue.

6. Notices of important meetings held in all parts of the State will be posted on a notice board in the Press Room.

7. Press Correspondents will, in future, address the - Registrar, General and Revenue Secretariat, if they have any complaints or suggestions to make, in regard to the Press Room.

" BY Order "

Revised fair draft.

Chief Secretary to Government.

R.N.

Appendix A.

A GENERAL LIST OF PAPERS THAT MAY BE PLACED AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE PRESS.

~~Copies of notifications of all Depts, relating to the appointment, leave transfer &c. of Officers.~~ ***

I. REVIEWS AND REPORTS:-

CHIEF SECRETARIAT.

1. Reports on the working of the several departments of the State with the reviews of Government thereon.
2. The tour notes of the Dewan and other Members of Council meant for publication.
3. Representative Assembly Proceedings.
4. Representative Assembly Agenda Books.
5. The Dasara and Election of Members calendars.
6. The reports of the Special Committees appointed at the R.A. Sittings.

LEGISLATIVE, JUDICIAL AND POLICE.

1. Reports on the working of the Merchandise Marks Regulation.
2. Reports on the working of the Mysore Factories Regulation, 1913
3. Reports on the working of the Mysore Arms Regulation.
4. Reports on the working of the Mysore Mines Regulation.
5. Reports on the working of the Mysore Game and Fish Preservation Regulation.
6. Reports on the working of the Mysore Coffee Stealing Prevention Regulation.

EDUCATION SECRETARIAT.

1. Report on Public Instruction.
2. Report on the working of the Agricultural Department.
3. Report on the working of the Meteorological Department.
4. Report on the working of the Co-operative Societies.
5. Report on the working of the Agricultural Banks.
6. Report on the working of the Industries & Commerce Department.

REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

1. Season and crop report with the review of Government thereon.
2. Forecasts of sugar-cane, ragi and paddy crops.
3. Forest Settlement reports with Government Orders thereon.

4. Reviews on the progress reports of Drinking Water Wells.

5. Reviews on the Administration reports of the Bangalore and Mysore City Municipal Councils and the Mysore City Improvement Trust Board.

6. The report on restoration of Minor Tanks with the review of Government thereon.

FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT.

1. Budget Estimates and Financial Statement.

PUBLIC WORKS SECRETARIAT.

1. Reports on the working of the Electrical Department with the Government review.

2. Review of Famine Relief Programme.

II. RULES AND ORDERS :- (1) Railway Secretariat on the working of the Mysore Railways - Review of Report and orders thereon. Notifications Copies of notifications relating to appts, leave & transfers of all Gazetted officers -

CHIEF SECRETARIAT.

1. Rules relating to the occupation of Bungalows on Hill Stations

2. Orders passed on the reports of the Special Committees appointed at the Representative Assembly Sittings.

EDUCATION SECRETARIAT.

1. Rules regarding loans to Agricultural and Sericultural and horticultural Improvements, ~~Horticultural~~.

2. Rules regarding loans to Cattle breeding.

3. Loans under the hire purchase system for purchase of Industrial and Agricultural Plants and Machinery.

4. Loans relating to Fruit culture.

5. Sanctioned schemes of the several departments with which public are interested or which it is desirable to be communicated to the public.

REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

1. Orders laying down special rules for the grant of lands for cultivation.

2. Orders introducing revision settlement into Taluks.

3. Orders on all matters in which public are interested.

4. All Standing Orders, which are not of a Confidential nature

5. Important decisions in Revenue Appeals in which points of Law are involved.

6. Important decisions on appeals and other references in which points of Regulation or Rules are involved.

FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT.

1. Rules relating to Savings Banks, Village Banks, Savings Associations, Collecting Savings Bank at Bangalore, and Insurance in which the public are interested.

MUZRAI SECRETARIAT.

1. Orders relating to the General Re-organization of the Department and introduction of reforms therein.

PUBLIC WORKS SECRETARIAT.

1. Additions and alterations to the rules, relating to the Water Supply of Bangalore and Mysore Cities.

2. Rules relating to the supply of electric power for lighting.

RAILWAY SECRETARIAT.

1. Adoption of the nomenclature of Mysore Railways for the lines worked by the Durbar and MysoreState Railways worked by Madras and Southern Maratta Company.

Orders regarding projects sanctioned for construction or survey of Railway lines -

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20.3.19.

Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No. G. 284-77— G. M. 113-18-7, dated 24th June 1919.

Press Room.

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APPENDIX B.

EDITORS OF NEWSPAPERS AND OTHERS TO WHOM PAPERS PLACED AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE PRESS SHOULD BE SENT.

(1) The Editor, "Kasim-ul-Akbar," Narayanpillay Street, Bangalore Cantonment.
(2) Mr. J. W. Morris, Press Correspondent, St. John's Hill, Bangalore Cantonment.
(3) The Editor, "Daily Post," Bangalore.
(4) The Manager, "Vokkaligara Patrika," Bangalore City.
(5) The Editor, "Vrittanta Patrika," Mysore.
(5a) The Editor, "Mysore Star," Mysore.
(6) The Editor, "Kolar Gold Fields News," Bowringpet.
(7) The Editor of "The Sadhvi," Mysore.
(8) The Secretary "The Blue Book Journal," Bangalore.
(9) The Editor, "Karnataka," Bangalore.
(10) M. S. Lakshmana Rao, Esq., Editor, "Sampadabhyudaya," Mysore.
(11) The Editor, "Shimoga Virttanta," Shimoga.
(12) The Editor, "Mysore Economic Journal," Bangalore.
(13) The Shimoga Vrittanta Association, Shimoga.
(14) The Secretary, Bangalore Chamber of Commerce, Bangalore.
(15) The Editor "Arthasadhaka Patrika," Bangalore.
(16) The Editor, "Tumkur Vrittanta". Tumkur.

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(17) The Editor, "Madras Times," Madras.
(18) Mr. W. H. Johnson, Correspondent of the "Times of India", and Representative of "The Empire," Silver Oakes, Bangalore.
(19) The Editor, "Indian Review," Madras.
(20) The Editor, "Madras Mail," Madras.
(21) The Editor, "Native States & United India," Madras.

(22) The Editor, "Hindu," Mount Road, Madras.
(23) The Editor, "Indian Patriot," Madras.
(24) The Editor, "Christian Patriot," Madras.
(25) The Honorary Secretary, South Indian Association, Mylapore, Madras.
(26) The Editor, "Madura Mail," Madura.
(27) The Editor, "Civil and Military Gazette," Lahore.
(28) The Proprietor, "Jam-e-Jamshed Steam Press," Ballard House, Bombay.
(29) The Proprietor, "Indian Engineering," 7, Government Place, Calcutta.
(30) Mr. Padmanabha Iyer, Journalist, "Karamani," Trivandram.
(31) Chief Editor, "Islamic Mail," Byculla, Bombay.
(32) The Editor, "The Agriculturist," Bhavnagar.
(33) Mr. G. A. Vaidyaraman, B.A., Editor, "Practical Life," 10, Esplanade, Madras.
(34) The Manager, "Andhra Patrika," No. 9, J. Jehangir Street, George Town, Madras.
(35) The Editor, "Tribune," Lahore.
(36) V. S. Sanjiva Rao, Esq., Agent for "New India," Bangalore.
(37) The Editor, "International Police Service Magazine," Madras.
(38) The Editor of "Conch," Trivandram.
(39) Mr. T. K. Nair, Representative, Associated Press of India, 9, Tannery Road, Cleveland Town, Bangalore.
(40) Dr. T. M. Nair, Editor "Justice," Madras.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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The accompanying

~~I am directed to forward herewith the~~

Memorandum No. G- . . . . . relating to the arrangement of the Govt Press Room in the G.R.S. together with a list of papers that may be placed at the disposal of the Press for information and guidance is forwarded with compliments to the Secretaries to Govt

By order

for Chief Secretary to Govt. 20.6.16

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